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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 3985

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 3985 as follows:

3 on page 1, by replacing line 8 with the following:

4 "(a) Except as provided in subsection (c), within 25
5 business days after a State agency receives a"; and

6 on page 2, immediately below line 1, by inserting the
7 following:

8 "(c) The Department of Healthcare and Family Services may
9 refrain from submitting vouchers to the Comptroller for the
10 payment of Medical Assistance bills when doing so is necessary
11 to preserve appropriation authority to pay providers in the
12 expedited provider program and when the Department lacks
13 sufficient appropriation authority to process all Medical
14 Assistance bills for payment in accordance with the

1 requirements of subsection (a). The Department shall post on
2 its website an aggregate report of all claims it has received
3 and adjudicated but for which the Department has not submitted
4 vouchers to the Comptroller and shall provide an online system
5 on its website for providers to check the status of any
6 individual claim submitted. The Department shall post on its
7 website an estimate of the payments it expects to make for the
8 expedited program in the current fiscal year."